

Postponed Last Weekend: Rain

Ascot Racing Season Set for 'Second' Opening on Sunday

Postponed because of rain last weekend, the NASCAR late model stock cars open their '60 season Sunday afternoon with an eight race program starting at 2:15 p.m. at Ascot Stadium, 183rd and Vermont.

Cain, Santa Monica, the Pacific Racing Association champion for '59, and Lloyd Dane, Buena Park, three time NASCAR Pacific Coast champion and 25 more of the nation's top late model stock car speedsters.

qualifying at 1 p.m. Gates will open at noon.

HIGHLIGHTING the afternoon will be special match races between a '60 Ford, a '60 Chevrolet and '60 Dodge piloted by top NASCAR chauffeurs.

A field of almost thirty entries have been received topped by such drivers as Parnelli Jones, Torrance; Marvin Porter, Lakewood's '59 NASCAR National Short Track Champion; Bob Ross, NASCAR Pacific Coast Champion; Setooy

THE RACE marks not only the opening of the '60 season, but is first in a series of eight NASCAR late model stock car races to be staged at the Ascot oval by promoters Bob Barkhimer and Tony Coldevey.

On the program is the regular trophy dash, three 10-lap heat races, three match races for '60 model cars and a 50-lap NASCAR Pacific Coast Championship feature race. The first race is slated for 2:15 p.m. with

Standings

PIONEER LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Culver City	0	1.000	
Aviation	0	1.000	
El Segundo	1	.667	
Beverly Hills	1	.667	
South	1	.500	
Lennox	0	.000	
Torrance	0	.000	

TUESDAY SCORES			
Culver City 65,	El Segundo 35		
South 81,	Lennox 43		
Beverly Hills 65,	Torrance 54		

METROPOLITAN CONFERENCE			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Long Beach	3	1.000	
San Diego	2	1.000	
Bakersfield	1	1.000	
East Los Angeles	2	.667	
El Camino	1	.500	
Harbor	0	.000	
Valley	0	.000	
Santa Monica	0	.000	



HOT SPOTS

By BEN and PAUL SMITH

If you're driving up or down the coast & you think you're seeing zombies or men from outer space, don't panic, it's just surf fishermen tramping the beaches to find silver and yellow barred perch.

Yep, the season is here once again and in case you're not aware of the fact, Torrance has more ardent surf fishermen than any community for miles around. Not bragging, but the best also.

The Redondo Rod & Gun is staging its 11th annual barred perch derby on Sun. morning Jan. 31st. You register as a five man team, in person. (You cannot fish as an individual) Registration time is 12:01 a.m. All teams leave in the same car & fish within walking distance of said car. Weighing in time is 4 p.m. Sun. The fish must be 12" or longer. Ten is the limit per person. The point system will be used at weighing in time. Also nice spaghetti dinner is always served to half frozen, wet, & tired teams.

There will be first, second and third place trophies for the men's teams, a first place trophy for the ladies and junior teams.

Any of you non-fishermen who want to really see a wonderful display of surf perch, in fact the biggest display you'll ever see, come around to their club house from 2 to 4 p.m., Sun., Jan. 31st. It's a sight well worth seeing.

This is also the time of year to check your fishing line. You have to have a rod and reel to fish, but remember both need line. It's an important factor that it should be in first class condition. Your rod & reel will last for years, if taken care of properly. But you should replace your line every year for top fishing performance. Keep your drag loose and let the fish run a little.

Another pointer is to retrieve slowly. Keep that bait moving. You'll find you will have more pick ups this way than by letting the bait sit still after casting.

Obey the laws. Go fishing at least once a week and enjoy life and live longer. Don't leave the little lady home. A day's fishing is a haven of rest from house drudgery. And you'll discover the best pal you ever had. Don't forget your 1960 fishing licenses. It's a must.

There'll be a free basketball clinic Tuesday at 8 p.m. at Venice High School Gymnasium, 13000 Venice Blvd., featuring Forrest Twogood, U.S.C. Basketball Coach. Special game begins at 7.

Fornieles vs. Fowler on TV's Winter Baseball

Mike Fornieles of the Boston Red Sox pitches for the Marianno Tigers against Art Fowler of the Los Angeles Dodgers pitching for the Almadares Scorpions on KTTV's Winter Baseball, Friday at 8:30 p.m. on Channel Eleven.

Co-Ed Volleyball Begins Monday

Co-ed volleyball sessions for adults is scheduled to begin Monday at South High School under auspices of the Torrance Recreation Dept. Play is planned each Monday from 7 until 9:30 p.m. A similar program for adults meets Thursday evenings at Torrance High and volleyball sessions for teenagers is at the THS gym on Tuesdays.

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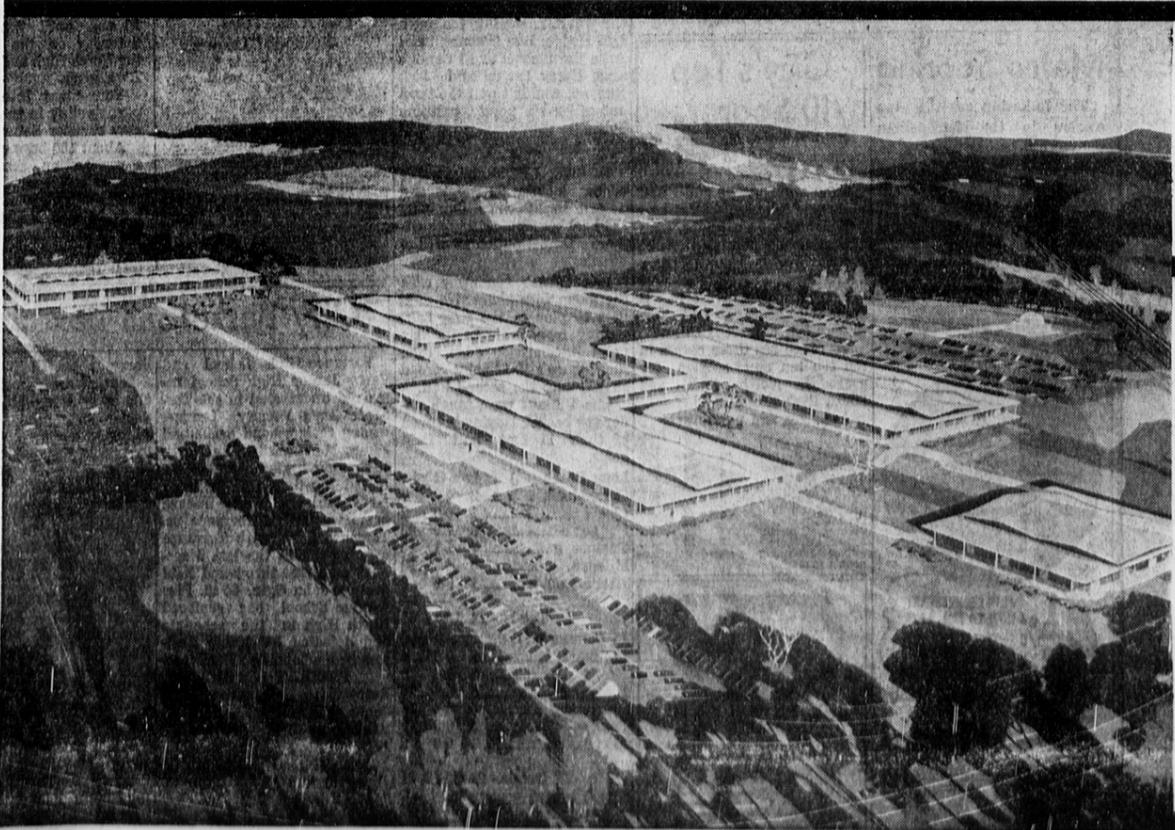
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